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City of Rockville Pension Plan

Plan year beginning July 1, 2015

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1. Executive Summary

Current Plan Year Costs (Fiscal Year 2016)

This report presents the results of our actuarial valuation of the City of Rockville Retirement Plan as of July 1, 2015, including the contribution required. Asset and census information was gathered as of July 1, 2014 and projected to July 1, 2015.

The projected Annual Required Contribution (ARC) for the City of Rockville Retirement Plan for fiscal year 2016 (July 1, 2015 through June 30, 2016) is \$3,575,462. The ARC is in addition to employee contributions and represents a minimum deposit level equaling the employer share of the normal cost plus the amortization of the unfunded liabilities as of June 30, 2016.

Deposit Information for FY2016

A summary of the results of the actuarial valuation is as follows:

Total normal cost plus expense	\$2,611,220
Employee normal cost (expected employee contributions)	\$789,173
Employer normal cost	\$1,822,047
Total normal cost as a percentage of total member compensation	6.96%
ARC	\$3,575,462
ARC as a percentage of total member compensation	9.53%

Analysis

The ARC for the City of Rockville Defined Benefit Pension Plan decreased slightly in the 2015 plan year (fiscal 2016) to approximately \$3.6 million. The FY2016 ARC is \$0.4 million lower than the FY15 ARC due in part to lower than expected pay increases and higher than expected investment returns. The actuarial value of assets increased from last year due to the recognition of deferred gains from 2010, 2011, 2013, and 2014. (See page 10 for a full development of the actuarial value of assets.) Overall, the funded status of the plan is expected to increase from 80.7% on July 1, 2014 to 86.0% on July 1, 2015.

Similar to plan reports in previous years, we have included a projection of the annual required contributions of the plan. This may be found beginning on page 6.

Changes from Prior Valuation

There were no changes in assumptions or plan provisions since the last valuation.

Funding Method

The Entry-Age Normal Cost Method was used to determine liabilities and costs related to retirement, termination, disability and pre-retirement death benefits. The normal cost is calculated as a level annual funding cost from entry age to the expected decrement date.

The entry age normal cost method is used for this valuation. This method estimates the total cost of all projected plan benefits based on the assumptions shown in this report and the participant data supplied to us.

Costs are spread evenly from a member's date of hire to assumed retirement age. This annual cost is spread as a level percentage of compensation. The sum of each member's annual cost is the normal cost of the plan.

The value of calculated costs for past years is the actuarial accrued liability (AAL). Each year the unfunded actuarial liability (UAAL) is the AAL less the actuarial value of assets. A value less than zero represents a surplus.

The annual required contribution is equal to the normal cost of the plan, plus amortization of the plan's UAAL. Effective with the prior valuation the amortization period was fixed at 20 years, with separate amortization of increases or decreases in the UAAL over new 20-year periods. Due to the plan year being changed to coincide with the fiscal year, the amortization was modified to avoid quarter year remaining amortization periods.

Supplemental Employee Contributions

If the City contribution to the defined benefit plan on behalf of Administrative, Union and Police employees exceeds 6.5% of the earnings of those employees, the City may, at its discretion, impose a "Supplemental Employee Contribution" for the following year.

The amount of the Supplemental Employee Contributions is limited to no more than 50% of the excess of the city contribution over 6.5% of the earnings of the Administrative, Union, and Police employees. See page 7 for the calculation of the Supplemental Employee Contribution.

2. Funding Calculations

Deposit Information

Normal Cost		
	Fiscal 2016 July 1, 2015	Fiscal 2015 April 1, 2014
Total normal cost	\$ 2,611,220	\$ 2,594,635
Employee normal cost (expected contributions from		
employees not yet eligible for normal retirement)	789,173	773,369
Employer normal cost	1,822,047	1,821,267
Total member compensation	37,516,933	37,048,315
Total normal cost as a percentage of member compensation	6.96%	7.00%
Annual Required Contributions		
Employer normal cost	1,822,047	1,821,267
Amortization amount	1,503,964	1,922,550
Valuation interest to the end of the plan year	249,451	280,786
Annual Required Contribution (ARC)	3,575,462	4,024,603
ARC as percentage of total member compensation	9.53%	10.86%

The ARC represents the employer contribution to the plan and is in addition to employee contributions. The member compensation includes expected salary growth during the fiscal year.

Development of Normal Cost

The normal cost is the portion of cost assigned to each year. Under the entry age normal cost method used in this valuation, each member's annual cost is calculated as described in the Assumptions and Methods section. The sum of the annual costs for all members plus an estimate of plan expenses to be paid from the fund is the total normal cost for each year.

a) Normal cost for Administrative Personnel and Union	\$ 1,612,970
b) Normal cost for Police	671,473
c) Estimated expenses	326,778
d) Total normal cost $(a + b + c)$	\$ 2,611,220

Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability

a) Unfunded actuarial liability (as of 7/01/2014)	\$16,200,094
b) Changes made during the plan year	0
c) Employer normal cost (as of 7/01/2014)	1,821,267
d) Interest on the above items	1,351,602
e) Total $(a + b + c + d)$	19,372,602
f) Employer contributions	3,641,099
g) Interest on employer contribution	136,541
h) Total $(f + g)$	3,777,640
i) Expected unfunded actuarial accrued liability	
(as of 7/01/2015) (e - h)	15,595,323
j) Actuarial accrued liability	101,027,990
k) Actuarial value of assets projected to 7/01/2015	86,925,136
l) Actual unfunded actuarial accrued liability (as of 7/01/2015)	14,102,854
m) Actuarial (gain) or loss	
(actual less expected unfunded actuarial accrued liability) (l - i)	(\$1,492,468)

Schedule of Amortization Bases

The City's cost method allocates a portion of plan funding to be amortized in equal annual installments, in addition to the normal cost. The period over which the bases can be amortized is described in the laws and/or regulations.

Date Created	Item	Remaining Period (Years)	Outstanding Balance	Amortization Payment
7/01/2014	Initial Unfunded Actuarial Liability	17.25	\$ 18,271,584	\$ 1,922,550
7/01/2015	2013/2014 Actuarial Gain	19	\$ (4,168,730)	\$ (418,586)
Total	Unfunded Actuarial Accrued Liability		\$ 14,102,854	\$ 1,503,964

Benefits Index Option

As of June 30, 2014, there was a group of 75 retirees and beneficiaries under the Benefits Index Option with Principal. The City of Rockville is required to maintain a minimum level of assets with Principal; otherwise these employees will be annuitized at current market costs. The benefits due to these retirees are paid from the Principal accounts.

If the Benefit Index Option retirees had been converted to annuities on June 30, 2014, the liability would increase from \$7.95 million to \$11.07 million. The increase is mainly due to the low interest rate environment in the annuity market.

Principal requires that the funds exceed the annuitized value of the retiree benefits. They determine the amount needed to cover the Benefits Index retirees through a two step formula. First, they increase the annuitized liability by 10% as part of a threshold test. Next they take into consideration the volatility of the assets classes and come up with a weighted volatility factor that is used to increase the amount of funds needed to cover the retiree payments.

On June 30, 2014, the funds with Principal were invested in the following manner and with the following assumed volatility factors:

		Volatility
Principal Fund Name	Balance	<u>Factor</u>
Money Market	\$116,229	0.95
Inflation Protection	\$5,637,795	0.95
Core Plus Bond	\$16,204,995	0.95
Large Cap S&P 500 Index	\$14,741,088	0.75
Diversified Intl	\$16,904,679	0.60
Total	\$53,604,786	0.7846

The weighted average volatility factor is divided into the increased annuitized liability to derive the Benefit Index as of a particular date. As of June 30, 2014, the Benefits Index equaled approximately \$15.5 million (i.e., \$11.07 x 1.1 / 0.7846). With over \$53 million invested with Principal, the Benefit Index is easily covered.

It is important to note that the volatility factors have a significant impact on the high level of assets required to be held by Principal. If all of the Principal funds were invested in the Bond fund, or the inflation Protection fund, which have the least volatility, then the Benefit Index would decrease from \$15.5 million required to \$12.8 million required.

3. Funding Projections

Annual Required Contribution Projections

As part of the actuarial valuation, we have projected contribution estimates for 5 years into the future based on the current year results. These estimates utilize the same assumptions and census data as of 7/01/2014. Additionally, asset returns are assumed to be 7.50% for all future years.

Any deviation in assumption, census demographics, or asset performance would impact these approximations.

	FY 2016	FY 2017	FY 2018	FY 2019	FY 2020	FY 2021
	July 1, 2015	(\$ in				
		millions)	millions)	millions)	millions)	millions)
Interest Rate	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%
Return on Market Assets		7.50%	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%	7.50%
A						
Actuarial Accrued Liability	\$101,027,990	105.96	111.10	116.47	122.08	127.94
Actuarial Value of Assets	86,925,136	93.44	100.54	107.88	114.20	120.84
Unfunded Liability	14,102,854	12.52	10.57	8.59	7.88	7.10
Funded Ratio	86.0%	88.2%	90.5%	92.6%	93.5%	94.5%
Amortization of Unfunded	¢1.502.064	1 41	1.20	1 15	1 15	1 15
	\$1,503,964	1.41	1.28	1.15	1.15	1.15
Employer Normal Cost	1,822,047	1.93	2.05	2.17	2.30	2.44
Interest	249,451	0.25	0.25	0.25	0.26	0.27
ARC	\$3,575,462	3.59	3.58	3.58	3.72	3.87
	Ψ5,575,402	3.37	5.50	5.50	3.12	5.07

Supplemental Employee Contribution Projections

As documented in the provisions of the plan, the City of Rockville maintains the right to enforce a Supplemental Employee Contribution as it pertains to the defined benefit portion of the pension plan. Specifically, as of any July 1, if the City contribution to the Defined Benefit Option of the plan made on behalf of employees exceeds 6.50% of the earnings of the employees, then the City reserves the right to impose a Supplemental Employee Contribution for the following fiscal year.

This Supplemental Employee Contribution can be no more than 50% of the excess of the City contribution over 6.50% of earnings for employees. Such a contribution would be treated as a contribution to the Defined Benefit Option. The following table represents the calculation of the current Supplement Employee Contribution plus 5 projection years.

Administrative and Union Employees

	FY 2016 July 1, 2015	FY 2017 (\$ in millions)	FY 2018 (\$ in millions)	FY 2019 (\$ in millions)	FY 2020 (\$ in millions)	FY 2021 (\$ in millions)
Admin compensation Union compensation Total compensation	\$27,836,639 4,639,097 32,475,736	29.52 4.92 34.44	31.31 5.22 36.52	33.20 5.53 38.73	35.21 5.87 41.08	37.34 6.22 43.56
Total ARC Admin and Union ARC	\$3,575,462 2,994,485	3.59 3.01	3.58 3.00	3.58 3.00	3.72 3.12	3.87 3.24
ARC as a % of compensation	9.22%	8.74%	8.21%	7.75%	7.60%	7.44%
Excess over 6.5%	2.72%	2.24%	1.71%	1.25%	1.10%	0.94%
50% of excess	1.36%	1.12%	0.86%	0.62%	0.55%	0.47%
Maximum Supplemental Employee Contribution	\$441,670	0.39	0.31	0.24	0.23	0.20
Police Employees	FY 2016 July 1, 2015	FY 2017 (\$ in millions)	FY 2018 (\$ in millions)	FY 2019 (\$ in millions)	FY 2020 (\$ in millions)	FY 2021 (\$ in millions)
Police compensation	\$5,041,195	5.35	5.67	6.01	6.38	6.76
Total ARC Police ARC	\$3,575,462 580,977	3.59 0.58	3.58 0.58	3.58 0.58	3.72 0.60	3.87 0.63
ARC as a % of compensation	11.52%	10.89%	10.25%	9.62%	9.40%	9.30%
Excess over 6.5%	5.02%	4.39%	3.75%	3.12%	2.90%	2.80%
50% of excess	2.51%	2.20%	1.87%	1.56%	1.45%	1.40%
Maximum Supplemental Employee Contribution	\$126,534	0.12	0.11	0.09	0.09	0.09

Employer Thrift Plan Matching Contributions Projections

For both Union and Administrative Personnel enrolled in the Thrift Plan, employees can contribute 1%, 2%, 3%, 4%, or 5% of earnings to the Thrift Plan. For each \$1.00 contributed by a member, the City of Rockville contributes \$0.50 to the plan.

While this valuation only reflects the Defined Benefit Plan portion of liabilities, we are able to estimate the cash outlay of the City's matching contribution to the Thrift Plan based on current census data, pay information, salary scale assumptions, and employee contribution percentages.

	Fiscal 2016	Fiscal 2017	Fiscal 2018	Fiscal 2019	Fiscal 2020
	July 1, 2015	July 1, 2016	July 1, 2017	July 1, 2018	July 1, 2019
Total Thrift Plan Pay Only	\$ 30,480,000	\$ 32,320,000	\$ 34,280,000	\$ 36,350,000	\$38,550,000
Employee Contribution to					
Thrift Plan	1,410,000	1,502,000	1,602,000	1,708,000	1,822,000
City Matching Contribution	5 0.5.000	77 1 000	004.000	0.7.4.000	044.000
to Thrift Plan	705,000	751,000	801,000	854,000	911,000

Allocation of 2015 Plan Year Contribution (Fiscal 2016)

	Admin and Union	Police	Total
2015 Employer Normal Cost	\$1,525,983	\$296,064	\$1,822,047
Allocation percentage	83.75%	16.25%	100.00%
Allocated Annual Required Contribution	\$2,994,485	\$580,977	\$3,575,462
Total annual member compensation	\$32,475,736	\$5,041,195	\$37,516,931
Allocated ARC as a percentage of compensation Discretionary Supplemental	9.22%	11.52%	9.53%
Contribution for next year	\$441,670	\$126,534	\$568,204

4. Asset Information

Plan Assets are measured at the beginning of each plan year. Both the projected market value and actuarial value for the 2014 plan year are shown below. Actuarial value of assets is used for all funding calculations. The derivation of the Actuarial Value of assets is on the following page and identifies the reason for any difference between Market Value and Actuarial Value in the Methods Selected by Plan Sponsor section of Assumptions and Methods.

The actuarial value of plan assets as of June 30, 2014 is **\$80,090,057**. The market value of assets as of June 30, 2014 is \$85,117,935. The following table shows the amount of funds invested in each account as of June 30, 2014:

City of Rockville Market Value of Assets as of June 30, 2014				
Accounts	Balance			
<u>Principal</u>				
Money Market	\$116,229			
Inflation Protection	\$5,637,795			
Core Plus Bond	\$16,204,995			
Large Cap S&P 500 Index	\$14,741,088			
Diversified Intl	\$16,904,679			
Total – Principal	\$ 53,604,786			
<u>Prudential</u>				
Equities	\$ 11,839,670			
PRISA	\$ 9,593,633			
Invesco	\$ 9,452,625			
Short Term	\$ 627,221			
Total – Prudential	\$ 31,513,149			
Total – All Accounts	\$ 85,117,935			

The actuarial value of assets smooths investment gains and losses over five years at 20 percent per year. The asset valuation method changed four years ago and is not fully phased in. For this purpose, a gain or loss is the difference between the actual return and the expected long-term investment return (currently 7.50 percent). Any future gains or losses are also recognized over five years. After the method is in place in its fifth year, the asset value recognizes 20 percent of the current year's gain or loss and 20 percent of each of the prior four years of gains and losses. By combining five years of gains and losses, the asset fluctuations are dampened from experiencing drastic upward and downward swings in value. 80% of the 2014 gains, 55% of the 2013 gains, 35% of the 2012 losses, and 15% of 2011 gains are deferred to future years. Due to the change in the plan year, an additional quarter year of gains/losses were recognized last year. A full development of this value can be found on the following page.

Deve	Development of Actuarial Value of Assets						
(1)	Actuarial value of assets as of 7/01/13	\$ 70,791,881					
(2)	Contributions						
(a)	Employee contributions	\$ 730,162					
(b)	Employer receivable (from prior year)	-					
(c)	Employer contributions	\$ 5,218,589					
(3)	Benefit payments & expenses	\$ 5,133,730					
(4)	Interest on (1), (2a), (2b), (2c) and (3) at 7.50%	\$ 5,339,954					
(5)	Expected actuarial value of assets as of 7/01/14	\$ 76,946,856					
(6)	Market value of assets as of 7/01/14	\$ 85,117,935					
(7)	Development of amount of difference to be amortized						
(a)	Unrecognized amount from 4/01/10 15% x 2010 Total (see chart below)	\$1,463,343					
(b)	Unrecognized amount from 4/01/11 35% x 2011 Total (see chart below)	1,468,807					
(c)	Unrecognized amount from 4/01/12 55% x 2012 Total (see chart below)	(1,291,100)					
(d)	Unrecognized amount from 4/01/13 75% x 2013 Total (see chart below)	60,375					
(e)	Difference between expected actuarial value and market value $7/01/14$ (6) $-$ (5) $-$ (7a) $-$ (7b) $-$ (7c) $-$ (7d)	\$ 6,469,654					
(8)	Unrecognized market value 7/01/14 (see chart below)	\$ 5,027,878					
(9)	Actuarial Value of assets $7/01/14$ (6) – (8)	\$ 80,090,057					
(10)	Employer contributions receivable after 7/01/14	0					
(11)	Adjusted Actuarial value of assets as of $7/01/14$ (9) + (10)	\$ 80,090,057					

Allocation of Deferred Gains and (Losses)										
Allocation										
Year	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014					
2010	\$ 1,951,123									
2011	1,951,123	\$ 839,318								
2012	1,951,123	839,318	\$(469,490)							
2013	2,438,905	1,049,149	(586,864)	\$20,125						
2014	1,463,343	839,318	(469,491)	16,100	\$1,293,931					
2015		629,489	(469,491)	16,100	\$1,293,931					
2016			(352,118)	16,100	\$1,293,931					
2017				12,075	\$1,293,931					
2018					\$1,293,930					
Total	\$ 9,755,617	\$ 4,196,592	\$ (2,347,454)	\$ 80,500	\$ 6,469,654					
Deferred	\$ 0	\$ 629,489	\$ (821,609)	\$ 44,275	\$ 5,175,723					
Unrecognize	Unrecognized Market Value (sum of Deferred row above) \$ 5,027,878									

Historical Investment Returns

The following table represents the investment returns by calendar year since January 1, 2004. Also presented are the compounded returns for the last 1 through 10 years.

	Approximate Rate of Return	Level Compounded Annual Return Over Last "n" Years		
Calendar Year Ended	Market Value	"n"	Market Value	
December 31, 2013	14.6%	1	14.6%	
December 31, 2012	13.1%	2	13.8%	
December 31, 2011	0.2%	3	9.1%	
December 31, 2010	16.0%	4	10.8%	
December 31, 2009	17.0%	5	12.0%	
December 31, 2008	-32.5%	6	2.9%	
December 31, 2007	6.5%	7	3.4%	
December 31, 2006	13.7%	8	4.7%	
December 31, 2005	6.4%	9	4.9%	
December 31, 2004	9.7%	10	5.3%	

5. Data and Assumptions

Census Data

	7/01/2013	7/01/2014	Change						
Number of Covered Participants									
Actives	511	508	-3						
Terminated Vested	88	104	+16						
Retirees	209	223	+14						
Beneficiaries	9	10	+1						
Total	817	845	+28						
Average Age									
Actives	45.8	45.6	-0.2						
Terminated Vested	47.7	48.2	+0.5						
Retirees	69.9	69.8	-0.1						
Average Years of Service									
Actives	11.3	11.3	+0.0						
Monthly Accrued Benefits									
Terminated Vested	\$39,225	\$40,736	+3.9%						
Retirees	315,531	340,028	+7.8%						

Census Reconciliation

	Police	Admin DB	Admin TP	Union DB	Union TP	Total
Active Participants	1 01100	<i></i>				Total
Count on 7/01/2013	58	24	325	1	103	511
New entrants	+4		+30		+16	+50
Plan to plan transfer			+2		-2	0
Terminated, non-vested	-1		-14			-15
Terminated, vested			-10		-12	-22
Retired with annuity	-1	-3	-7		-5	-16
Death						0
Count on 7/01/2014	60	21	326	1	100	508
Inactive Participants						
Count on 7/01/2013	1	5	49	0	33	88
Return to active status						0
Retired with annuity		-1	-2			-3
Terminated, lump sum		-1	-7			-8
Terminated, vested			+13		+14	+27
Death						0
Count on 7/01/2014	1	3	53	0	47	104
Retired Participants						
Count on 7/01/2013	8	94	82	17	8	209
New retired/beneficiary	+1	+4	+9		+5	+19
Death/Fixed Period Ends		-4		-1		-5
Count on 7/01/2014	9	94	91	16	13	223

Profiles of Active Population

Distribution of the Active Male Population by Age and Service Groups

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Age as of July 1, 2014	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	Total
24 and under	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
25 - 29	18	1	0	0	0	0	0	19
30 - 34	26	13	5	0	0	0	0	44
35 - 39	14	18	7	5	0	0	0	44
40 - 44	11	10	12	10	2	0	0	45
45 - 49	8	8	17	5	9	3	0	50
50 - 54	7	13	9	9	11	12	1	62
55 – 59	5	7	8	7	3	7	5	42
60 - 64	3	2	0	4	5	4	4	22
65 & over	1	1	1	3	0	1	2	9
Totals	101	73	59	43	30	27	12	345

Average Age: 45.13

Average Past Service: 11.22

Distribution of the Active Female Population by Age and Service Groups

Credited Years of Service as of July 1, 2014

Age as of July 1, 2014	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	Total
24 and under	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2
25 - 29	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	8
30 - 34	6	14	1	0	0	0	0	21
35 - 39	7	9	5	1	0	0	0	22
40 - 44	6	4	2	2	0	0	0	14
45 - 49	2	9	3	4	1	0	0	19
50 - 54	6	6	4	6	4	8	0	34
55 – 59	2	5	4	2	1	6	2	22
60 - 64	0	3	3	4	1	1	4	16
65 & over	1	0	1	2	0	0	1	5
Totals	37	53	23	21	7	15	7	163

Average Age: 46.69

Average Past Service: 11.45

Distribution of the Active Population by Age and Service Groups

Credited	Vears	of Service	as of July I	2014
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Age as of July 1, 2014	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30+	Total
24 and under	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	10
25 - 29	23	4	0	0	0	0	0	27
30 - 34	32	27	6	0	0	0	0	65
35 - 39	21	27	12	6	0	0	0	66
40 - 44	17	14	14	12	2	0	0	59
45 – 49	10	17	20	9	10	3	0	69
50 – 54	13	19	13	15	15	20	1	96
55 – 59	7	12	12	9	4	13	7	64
60 - 64	3	5	3	8	6	5	8	38
65 & over	2	1	2	5	0	1	3	14
Totals	138	126	82	64	37	42	19	508

Average Age: 45.63

Average Past Service: 11.29

Profiles of Inactive Population

Distribution of Male Retirees and Beneficiaries

Age as of July 1, 2014	Number	Average Annual Pension	Total Annual Pension
< 55	3	21,225	63,676
55 - 59	9	22,203	199,823
60 - 64	28	27,567	771,875
65 - 69	32	22,989	735,656
70 - 74	27	19,884	536,869
75 – 79	20	18,425	368,492
80 - 84	9	18,986	170,873
85 +	<u>6</u>	<u>11,497</u>	<u>68,984</u>
TOTAL	134	21,763	2,916,248
	Avera	ge Age: 69.2	
	Average	e Pension: \$21,763	

Distribution of Female Retirees and Beneficiaries

Age as of	<u>Number</u>	Average Annual Pension	Total Annual Pension
< 55	5	8,963	44,817
55 – 59	9	14,841	133,569
60 - 64	15	15,189	227,830
65 - 69	20	10,508	210,166
70 - 74	14	13,113	183,577
75 – 79	12	11,834	142,004
80 - 84	16	8,649	138,383
85 +	<u>8</u>	<u>10,468</u>	83,740
TOTAL	99	11,758	1,164,086
	Average	Age: 70.5	
	Average	Pension: \$11,758	

Distribution of All Administrative Retirees and Beneficiaries

Age as of July 1, 2014	Number	Average Annual Pension	Total Annual Pension
< 55	6	8,578	51,470
55 – 59	13	15,812	205,554
60 - 64	35	23,959	838,555
65 - 69	44	19,579	861,495
70 - 74	36	18,140	653,040
75 - 79	26	15,851	412,116
80 - 84	22	12,588	276,935
85 +	<u>12</u>	<u>10,359</u>	124,310
	194	\$ 17,647	\$ 3,423,475
	Avera	ge Age: 70.1	
	Average	Pension: \$17,647	

Distribution of All Union Retirees and Beneficiaries

Age as of	Number	Average Annual Pension	Total Annual Pension
< 55	1	3,690	3,690
55 - 59	2	9,038	18,076
60 - 64	5	6,822	34,112
65 - 69	7	7,612	53,283
70 - 74	5	13,481	67,406
75 – 79	5	10,949	54,745
80 - 84	3	10,774	32,321
85 +	<u>2</u>	14,207	<u>28,414</u>
	30	\$ 9,735	\$ 292,047
	Average Age:	70.0	
	Average Pension	n: \$9,735	

Distribution of Police Retirees and Beneficiaries

Age as of July 1, 2014	Number	Average Annual Pension	Total Annual Pension
< 55	1	53,333	53,333
55 - 59	3	36,587	109,762
60 - 64	3	42,346	127,038
65 - 69	1	31,044	31,044
70 - 74	0	0	0
75 - 79	1	43,635	43,635
80 - 84	0	0	0
85 +	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>
	9	\$ 40,535	\$ 364,812
	Average Age	: 61.2	
	Average Pens	sion: \$40,535	

Distribution of All Retirees and Beneficiaries

Age as of July 1, 2014	Number	Average Annual Pension	Total Annual Pension
< 55	8	13,562	108,493
55 – 59	18	18,522	333,392
60 - 64	43	23,249	999,705
65 - 69	52	18,189	945,822
70 - 74	41	17,572	720,446
75 – 79	32	15,953	510,496
80 - 84	25	12,370	309,256
85 +	<u>14</u>	<u>10,909</u>	<u>152,724</u>
	233	\$ 17,512	\$ 4,080,334
	Average Ag	ge: 69.8	
	Average Pe	nsion: \$17,512	

Plan Provisions

This report reflects the maximum benefit limits under Internal Revenue Code (IRC) Section 415 and maximum compensation limits under IRC Section 401 in effect on the first day of each plan year.

The following is a summary of plan provisions and does not alter the intent or meanings of the provisions contained in the contract or plan document. This report reflects the provisions of the plan effective through July 1, 2014.

Plan Eligibility		
	Defined Benefit Option	Thrift Plan Option
Administrative Personnel	Hired prior to 4/15/1986 and elected not to transfer to Thrift Plan	Hired prior to 4/15/1986 and elected to transfer from Defined Benefit Option or hired on or after 4/15/1986
Union Employees	Hired prior to 12/02/1986 and elected not to transfer to Thrift Plan	Hired prior to 12/02/1986 and elected to transfer from Defined Benefit Option or hired on or after 12/02/1986
Police Employees	All Police employees are eligible for the Defined Benefit Option only	N/A

Normal Retirement Benefit		
Form	All employees will receive a monthly annuity guaranteed for ten years and life thereafter. Optional forms may be elected in advance of retirement	
Age	Defined Benefit Option Thrift Plan Option	
Administrative Personnel and Union Employees	Attained at age 60	Hired prior to July 1, 2011: Attained at age 60 Hired on or after July 1, 2011: Attained age 65 and 10 years of credited service
Police	Earlier of attained age 60 or 25 years of service	N/A

Normal Retirement Benefit			
Amount (accrued benefit)	Defined Benefit Option	Thrift Plan Option	
Union Employees	1.8% of average earnings times credited service	The sum of (i), (ii), and (iii) i. 1.8% of average earnings times credited service prior to 1/01/1987 ii. 1.0% of average earnings times credited service after 12/31/1986 iii. Actuarial equivalent of a lump sum payment of members Thrift Plan Option vested account balance. Member may elect a cash distribution or combination of cash and annuity	
Administrative Personnel	The sum of (i) and (ii) i. 1.8% of average earnings times credited service prior to 4/01/1996 ii. 2.0% of average earnings times credited service on or after 4/01/1996	i. 1.8% of average earnings times credited service prior to 4/01/1986 ii. 1.0% of average earnings times credited service after 4/01/1986 and prior to 4/01/1996 iii. 1.2% of average earnings times credited service on or after 4/01/1996 iv. Actuarial equivalent of a lump sum payment of members Thrift Plan Option vested account balance. Member may elect a cash distribution or combination of cash and annuity	

Normal Retirement Benefit			
Amount (accrued benefit)	Defined Benefit Option	Thrift Plan Option	
Police Employees	The lesser of (i) and (ii): i. 2.0% of average earnings times credited service up to 4/01/2004, plus 2.25% of average earnings times credited service on or after 4/01/2004 ii. 67.5% of average earnings		

Early Retirement Benefit		
Age	Hired prior to July 1, 2011: Attained age 50 Hired on or after July 1, 2011: Attained age 58	
Service	Ten years of credited service	
Form	Same as normal retirement benefit	
Amount	Accrued benefit on early retirement date reduced to reflect that payments begin prior to normal retirement date	
Reduction Factors:		
Administrative Personnel and Union Employees	Hired prior to July 1, 2011: 1/4 of 1% for each month the benefit commences prior to normal retirement date. Hired on or after July 1, 2011: 3/8 of 1% for each month the benefit commences prior to normal retirement date.	
Police	6/10 of 1% for each month during the first sixty months and 3/10 of 1% for each month during the next sixty months the benefit commences prior to normal retirement date	

Late Retirement Benefit		
Age	No maximum age	
Form	Same as normal retirement benefit	
Amount	Accrued benefit on late retirement date	

Deferred Vested Benefit		
Eligibility	Termination of employment after ten years of credited service	
Form	Same as normal retirement benefit with income deferred until normal retirement date	
Amount	Accrued benefit as date of termination In lieu of receiving a retirement benefit, an employee may elect to receive a lump sum payment equal to that which the employee would have received under the Termination Benefit below	

Termination Benefit		
	Defined Benefit Option	Thrift Plan Option
Eligibility	Termination of employment prior to early or normal retirement date and before completing ten years of credited service	Termination of employment prior to early or normal retirement date and before completing seven years of credited service
Form	Lump sum payment	Lump sum payment
Amount	i. Employee contributions plus interest ii. A portion of the City's contributions plus credited interest according to the following schedule: Years of Percent of City Credited Service Share Earned Less than 5 0% 5 50% 6 60% 7 70% 8 80% 9 90% 10 and over 100% City contributions are deemed to be 150% of the employee's contributions plus interest	Vested account balance

Survivor Annuity Death Benefit						
Eligibility	Qualified married participant with ten years of credited service					
Form	Monthly annuity payable to spouse, deferred to participant's earliest retirement date if later than the date of death					
Amount	If death occurs, the amount paid to the surviving spouse is equal to the amount that would have been paid had the participant terminated employment on the date of death and survived to his/her earliest retirement age, retired with a qualified joint and 50% survivor annuity in effect, then died the next day					

Lump Sum Death Benefit							
Eligibility	Not eligible for the Survivor Annuity	Not eligible for the Survivor Annuity Death Benefit described above					
Form	Lump sum payment to beneficiary						
	Defined Benefit Option	Thrift Plan Option					
	Employee contributions plus	Vested account balance					
	credited interest						
	In lieu of any other death benefit,						
Amount	the deceased employees' beneficiary						
	may elect to receive a lump sum						
	payment equal to that which the						
	employee would have received						
	under the Termination Benefit						
	described above						

Contributions							
	Defined Benefit Option	Thrift Plan Option					
Union	4.2% of earnings plus 1/2 the excess (if any) of the City's contribution over 6.5% of earnings	1%, 2%, 3%, 4%, or 5% of earnings					
Administrative Personnel	5.2% of earnings plus 1/2 the excess (if any) of the City's contribution over 6.5% of earnings	1.0% of earnings will be contributed to the Defined Benefit portion 1%, 2%, 3%, 4%, or 5% of earnings will be contributed to the Thrift Plan portion					
Police	8.5% of earnings	N/A					

Contributions						
Defined Benefit Option Thrift Plan Option						
City	Remaining cost of plan	50 cents for each \$1.00 contributed by member. (Applies to Administrative Personnel and Union employees only.)				
Interest on Employee	6.0% per year	In accordance with the terms of the				
Contributions		investment contract				

Cost of Living adjustment There is no cost-of-living increase for the July 1, 2014 valuation. Historically, there have been cost-of-living increases given to current retirees. There have been no cost-of-living increases since January 1, 2008.

Definitions

Credited Service

For benefit accrual, an employee will receive Credited Service for each year of continuous service and a fraction of a year of service to the nearest full month, from the date he first enters the plan to the date he terminates or retires, whichever is earlier; provided he made the required contributions to the plan. An employee will not receive credited service during any period for which he is eligible to participate if he does not contribute to the plan.

Earnings

Salary or wage at an employee's basic rate of pay but excluding overtime payments, commissions, bonuses, and any other additional compensation but including longevity pay. After December 31, 2001, 401(a)(17) limits apply. No retroactive \$200,000 limit will apply for service on or after January 1, 2002.

Final Average Earnings

Administrative Personnel and Union Employees

Average annual earnings during the 36 consecutive months of the last 120 months of City employment (or, if shorter, the employee's actual period of employment) which produce the highest average.

Police

Average annual earnings during the final 60 months (or, if shorter, the employee's actual period of employment) of City employment.

Assumptions and Methods

There have been no changes in assumptions or plan provisions since the last valuation report, which was performed as of April 1, 2013 and projected to April 1, 2014 other than to reflect changes in maximum benefit limits under Intern Revenue Code (IRC) Section 415 and in maximum compensation limits under IRC Section 401.

7.50% Interest

RP-2000 Combined Mortality Table, male and female, projected to 2005 with **Mortality**

> scale AA. The table includes a margin for future improvement in life

expectancy.

Asset Method Gains and losses are spread over five years beginning 4/01/2010. This method

is being applied prospectively, so gains and losses prior to 2010 will continue

to be smoothed over four years until fully recognized.

Deposit After Plan

Year Ends

The Actuarial Value of Assets includes contributions for that fiscal year they were intended even if they were made after the end of the fiscal year.

Annual Required Contribution

Normal cost plus 20-year amortization of unfunded actuarial accrued liability with interest to the end of the plan year

Retirement Age

Upcoming Year Salary Increase

Normal Retirement Age as defined in the Plan Provisions

The salary is increased based on a combination of the rates determined from the experience study for plan years 2006-2010 plus increases specific to each benefit plan. The additional increases are 3.00% at each age for Thrift plan members, 2.50% at each age for Police members, and 2.00% at each age for Defined Benefit Plan members. Total annual increases are shown below at sample ages:

	Increases						
	Thrift						
Age	Plan	Police	DB Plan				
20	9.72%	8.97%	6.60%				
25	8.62%	7.88%	5.75%				
30	7.88%	7.16%	5.18%				
35	7.33%	6.62%	4.75%				
40	6.86%	6.16%	4.39%				
45	6.47%	5.77%	4.08%				
50	6.14%	5.45%	3.83%				
55	5.86%	5.17%	3.61%				

Expenses Deducted from the fund according to expenses in scales in Service

Agreement. The Normal Cost includes an estimated expense charge.

Disability 1987 Commissioner's Group Disability Table, six month elimination period,

male and female

Marriage 75% married; husbands are 3 years older than wives

Actuarial Cost

Method

Entry Age Normal

Cost of Living Increase

No explicit increase is assumed for future years

Withdrawal The rates below represent the service based withdrawal assumptions.

For employees with less than six year of service (excluding those in the Administrative and Union Defined Benefit Plans):

	Thrift &	Police
Service	DB Plans	Plan
0	.120	.200
1	.110	.200
5	.080	.040
10	.040	.010
15	.035	.010
25	.025	.000

Retirees

Assets and liabilities for retirees whose benefits are not guaranteed by the Principal Insurance Company contract are included in the valuation.

Description of Actuarial Cost Method: Entry Age Normal

Cost Methods

A cost method is a budgeting tool. It helps to ensure that your pension plan is adequately and systematically funded. Cost methods differ based on how they assign an annual cost to the current year and how they treat gains and losses.

Normal Cost

The portion of cost assigned to each year is called the normal cost. The normal cost may be shared by the employer and the employees based on plan provisions.

Entry Age Normal

The entry age normal cost method is used for valuation. This method estimates the total cost of all projected plan benefits based on the assumptions shown in this report and participant data you have supplied.

Costs are spread evenly from a member's date of hire to assumed retirement age. This annual cost spread as level percentage of compensation if benefits are salary related or as a level dollar amount if not salary related. The sum of each member's annual cost is the normal cost.

There are some accumulated costs for past years. The value of these past costs is the actuarial accrued liability (AAL). Each year the unfunded actuarial accrued liability (UAAL) is the AAL less the actuarial value of assets, but not less than zero. The UAAL is adjusted when there are plan or assumption changes (a liability base is created).

Actuarial Gains/Losses

An actuarial gain or loss occurs when actuarial plan experience differs from what was assumed. The actuarial gain or loss is calculated separately but the total UAAL is amortized over 20 years each year in accordance with the City's funding policy.

Actuarial Certification

To the best of our knowledge, this report is complete and accurate and all costs and liabilities have been determined in conformance with generally accepted actuarial principles and on the basis of actuarial assumptions and methods which are reasonable (taking into account past experience under the Plan and reasonable expectations) and which in combination represent our best estimate of anticipated experience under the plan.

The results shown in this report are reasonable actuarial results. However, a different set of results could also be considered reasonable actuarial results. The reason for this is that actuarial standards of practice describe a "best-estimate range" for each assumption, rather than a single best-estimate value. Thus, reasonable results differing from those presented in this report could have been developed by selecting different points within the best-estimate ranges for various assumptions.

The actuary certifying to this valuation are members of the Society of Actuaries or other professional actuarial organizations, and meets the General Qualification Standards of the American Academy of Actuaries for purposes of issuing Statements of Actuarial Opinion.

Craig R. Graby

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November 21, 2014

Estimated cost of 1% Cost of Living increase to current retirees

	07/01/2015 Valuation	07/01/2015 with 1% Cost of Living
Administrative and Union Group		
Accrued Liability		
Participants in pay status	\$33,171,826	\$33,503,544
Inactive participants	5,167,311	5,167,311
Active participants	42,459,308	42,459,308
Total	\$80,798,445	\$81,130,164
Change in Accrued Liability		\$331,718

Each 1% cost of living increase results in an additional \$ 331,718 of Accrued Liability for the Administrative and Union group.

	07/01/2015 Valuation	07/01/2015 with 1% Cost of Living
Police Group		
Accrued Liability		
Participants in pay status	\$3,953,539	\$3,993,075
Inactive participants	490,679	490,679
Active participants	15,785,326	<u>15,785,326</u>
Total	\$20,229,545	\$20,269,080
Change in Accrued Liability		\$39,535

Each 1% cost of living increase results in an additional \$39,535 of Accrued Liability for the Police group.

The above does not include the amount necessary to purchase a 1% cost of living increase for retirees at Hartford.

Accounting Information for SGAS 25/27

Ca	rry-forward of Net Pension Obligation	
a)	Annual required contribution for 2014 plan year	\$ 4,024,603
b)	Interest on net pension obligation	(26,892)
c)	Adjustment to annual required contribution	36,941
d)	Annual pension cost for 2014 plan year (a+b+c)	4,034,653
e)	Actual contributions made*	4,024,603
f)	Increase/(decrease) in net pension obligation	10,050
g)	2014 beginning of year net pension obligation	(358,553)
h)	2014 end of year net pension obligation	(348,504)
	*Assumes contribution equals FY 2014 ARC; if the contribution is a table will need to be modified	different amount, this
An	nual Pension Cost for 2015 Plan Year	
a)	Normal cost with interest	1,958,701
b)	Amortization with interest	1,616,761
c)	Annual required contribution (a+b, not less than zero)	3,575,462
d)	Interest on net pension obligation	(26,138)
e)	Adjustment to annual required contribution	36,941
f)	Annual pension cost (c+d+e)	\$ 3,586,265

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	Development of the Net Pension Obligation (NPO) (Asset)										
(a)	(b)	(c)	(d)	(e)	(f)	(g)	(h)	(i)	(j)	(k)	(1)
									Loss/	Change in	
Fiscal	Valuation	Amortized		Interest On	ARC	Amortization	APC	Actual	(Gain)	NOP	NPO
Year	Rate	Period	ARC	NPO	Adjustment	Factor	(d+e+f)	Deposit	(d-i)	(h-i)	Balance
2008	7.75%	20	1,550,658	0	0	10.0035	1,550,658	1,550,658	0	0	0
2009	7.75%	20	1,578,653	0	0	10.0035	1,578,653	1,981,817	(403,164)	(403,164)	(403,164)
2010	7.75%	20	2,511,751	(31,245)	40,302	10.0035	2,520,808	2,511,751	0	9,057	(394,107)
2011	7.75%	20	3,478,242	(30,543)	39,397	10.0035	3,487,096	3,478,242	0	8,854	(385,253)
2012	7.75%	20	3,563,104	(29,857)	38,512	10.0035	3,571,759	3,563,104	0	8,655	(376,599)
2013	7.50%	20	4,255,153	(28,245)	36,941	10.1945	4,263,849	4,255,153	0	8,696	(367,902)
2014	7.50%	19	5,218,589	(27,593)	36,941	9.9591	5,227,938	5,218,589	0	9,349	(358,553)
2015	7.50%	18	4,024,603	(26,892)	36,941	9.7060	4,034,653	4,024,603	0	10,050	(348,504)
2016	7.50%	17	3,575,462	(26,138)	36,941	9.4340	3,586,265	TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD

^{*} Assumes contribution equals FY 2015 ARC; if the contribution is a different amount, this table will need to be modified

	Schedule of Funding Progress								
	(a)	(b)	(a-b)	(a/b)	(c)	(a-b)/c			
Actuarial Valuation Date April 1	Actuarial Value of Assets	Actuarial Accrued Liability (AAL) Entry Age	Funded (Unfunded) AAL	Funded Ratio	Covered Payroll	FAAL/ UAAL As a Percentage of Covered Payroll			
2008	63,868,591	66,853,253	(2,984,662)	95.5%	26,221,689	-11.4%			
2009	61,698,621	72,290,941	(10,592,320)	85.3%	31,708,344	-33.4%			
2010	59,550,874	79,275,687	(19,724,813)	75.1%	33,863,526	-58.2%			
2011	60,360,919	79,794,044	(19,433,125)	75.6%	33,384,756	-58.2%			
2012	62,039,361	88,577,844	(26,538,483)	70.0%	33,212,310	-79.9%			
2013	70,144,540	92,843,559	(22,699,019)	75.6%	34,557,409	-65.7%			
July 1, 2014	78,490,190	97,275,430	(18,785,240)	80.7%	34,875,678	-53.9%			
July 1, 2015	86,925,136	101,027,990	(14,102,854)	86.0%	35,318,946	-39.9%			